DEWAN BAHADUR L. VENKATAKRISHNAN: We hope so. The schedule is being revised.

National Highways.

17. ✻ MR. J. T. MORAIS: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the survey of the Travancore portion of the National Highways has been completed; and

(*b*) if so, whether they will be pleased to place on the table a plan of the same?

DEWAN BAHADUR L. VENKATAKRISHNAN: (*a*) The survey has not been completed.

(*b*) The question does not arise in view of answer to (*a*).

MR. J. T. MORAIS: May I know when the survey is expected to be finished?

DEWAN BAHADUR L. VENKATAKRISHNAN: In about four months.

MR. J. T. MORAIS: May I know whether the inspection of the plan as far as Trivandrum is concerned could be allowed?

DEWAN BAHADUR L. VENKATAKRISHNAN: Yes, Sir, when it is ready.

MR. A. P. UDAYABHANU: When did you begin the survey?

DEWAN BAHADUR L. VENKATAKRISHNAN: About a year ago.

MR. A. P. UDAYABHANU: How many miles have been finished in the District of Trivandrum hitherto?

DEWAN BAHADUR L. VENKATAKRISHNAN: About 170 miles have been done.

MR. A. P. UDAYABHANU: How long will it take to reach Ernakulam?

DEWAN BAHADUR L. VENKATAKRISHNAN: We started from Ernakulam and we have got down to Trivandrum.

Road from General Hospital to Beach.

18. ✻ MR. VARKALA K. MADHAVAN: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they have decided to widen the road from General Hospital to the beach; and

(*b*) whether several accidents have recently taken place on this road due to the reckless driving of lorries conveying earth for constructing the Aerodrome?

DEWAN BAHADUR L. VENKATAKRISHNAN: (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Three accidents have occurred, but they were not entirely due to reckless driving.

MR. VARKALA K. MADHAVAN: In connection with answer (a), may I know whether the work has commenced?

DEWAN BAHADUR L. VENKATAKRISHNAN: No, Sir.

Executive Engineers and Assistant Engineers.

19. ✻ MR. VARKALA K. MADHAVAN: Will the Government be pleased to state the names of the Executive Engineers and Assistant Engineers who have been in their stations for more than three years?

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